

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

| Notice is hereby given that the public agency named below has completed an Initial Study of the following described project at the following location:   |  |  |
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| Public Agency:   | City of Santee   |  |
| Project Name:  | Santee Auto Center   |  |
| Project Description:   | Applications for a Conditional Use Permit (P2022-10) and Environmental Initial Study (AEIS2022-11) for the construction and operation of an auto center on a 13.1-acre site in the General Commercial Zone. The subject site would be graded into three parcels (Parcel A, B, & C) and developed with new buildings, parking, landscaping, and storm water facilities. Parcel A would include a new auto dealership (33,974 sf) with an accessory auto detail building (2,549 sf). Parcel B would include a new auto dealership (33,112 sf). Parcel C would include a new auto body shop (16,405 sf) with an accessory car wash building (5,400 sf). The project would include six driveways into the site, two on Cottonwood Avenue, three on Mission Gorge Road and one on Railroad Avenue. Proposed public improvements include sidewalks and fully landscaped parkways adjoining the site on Mission Gorge Road and Cottonwood Avenue. |  |
| Project Location – Identify<br>street address and cross streets<br>or attach a map showing<br>project site (preferably a   | 10335 Mission Gorge Road   |  |
|  | Assessor's Parcel Numbers: 384-091-01, 384-091-13 and 384-091-14.  |  |
|  | Nearest cross streets: Cottonwood Avenue and Railroad Avenue.  USGS map attached   |  |
| USGS 15' or 7 1/2'   | USGS map attached  |  |
| topographical map identified by quadrangle name):  |  |  |
| This Initial Study was completed in accordance with the Lead Agency's Guidelines for Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act. This Initial Study was undertaken for the purpose of deciding whether the project may have a significant effect on the environment. On the basis of such Initial Study, the Lead Agency's Staff has concluded that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and has therefore prepared a Draft Negative Declaration/Mitigated Negative Declaration. The Initial Study reflects the independent judgment of the Lead Agency. |  |  |
| The Project site IS on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.  |  |  |
| ☐ The Project site IS NOT on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.  |  |  |
| The proposed project IS considered a project of statewide, regional or areawide significance.  |  |  |
| ☐ The proposed project IS NOT considered a project of statewide, regional or areawide significance.  |  |  |
| The proposed project WILL affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Transportation.  |  |  |
| The proposed project WILL NOT affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Transportation.  |  |  |
| A scoping meeting WILL be held by the Lead Agency.   |  |  |
| A scoping meeting WILL NOT be held by the Lead Agency.   |  |  |
| If the project meets the criteria requiring the scoping meeting, or if the agency voluntarily elects to hold such a meeting, the date, time and location of the scoping meeting are as follows:  |  |  |
| Date: N/A  | Time: N/A Location: N/A  |  |
| Copies of the Initial Study and Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration are on file and are available for public review at the Lead Agency's office, located at: City of Santee, Planning & Building Department, 10601 Magnolia Avenue, Santee, CA 92071  |  |  |

| The proposed Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration can be obtained in electronic format by the following method: Via the City's website at <a href="https://www.cityofsanteeca.gov/services/project-environmental-review">https://www.cityofsanteeca.gov/services/project-environmental-review</a> or by email request to Michael Coyne at <a href="mailto:mcoyne@cityofsanteeca.gov">mcoyne@cityofsanteeca.gov</a> |  |  |  |
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| Lead Agency address: 10601 Magnolia Avenue, Santee, CA 92071   |  |  |  |
| Comments will be received from August 11, 2023 to September 11, 2023   |  |  |  |
| • •  | matter must submit such comments, in writing, to the Lead Agency prior to 5:00 of all Responsible Agencies are also requested. |  |  |
| The Lead Agency will consider the projecting on: N/A   | ect and the Draft Negative Declaration/Mitigated Negative Declaration at its   |  |  |
| Date: N/A  | Time: N/A  |  |  |
| If the Lead Agency finds that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, it may adopt the Negative Declaration/Mitigated Negative Declaration. This means that the Lead Agency may proceed to consider the project without the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report.  |  |  |  |
| Date Received for Filing:  | M. Coque Staff: Michael Coyne  |  |  |
| (Clerk Stamp Here)   | Principal Planner Title  |  |  |

